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Anti-Sandinista Denies Charges

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DALLAS, Sept. 12 — The military commander of the largest Nicaraguan rebel group said today that he knew of "no evidence" to support accusations that the rebels frightened young Nicaraguan men into joining them by killing Government officials and their sympathizers in towns and villages.

Edgar Chamorro, a former member of the political directorate of the group, the Nicaraguan Democratic Force, made the accusation in an affidavit made public this week. The written testimony is part of a World Court case in which Nicaragua has accused the United States of aggression.

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The rebel commander, Enrique Bermúdez, a former colonel in the Somoza-era Nicaraguan National Guard who now directs military operations of the Nicaraguan Democratic Force from Honduras, said his group was growing because the Nicaraguan people saw the rebels as "potential

winners," not because of forced recruitment.

"I won't say that sometimes an isolated patrol might not commit an abuse," he went on. "But this has not been a practice. I have no evidence of what Mr. Chamorro said."

Mr. Chamorro has repeatedly criticized the way the Central Intelligence Agency dealt with the rebels between 1982 and 1984 and has complained of abuses by the rebel forces, but he has continued to oppose the Sandinistas.

Mr. Bermúdez is among anti-Communist rebel representatives from eight countries attending a conference of the World Anti-Communist League in Dallas this week. Maj. Gen. John K. Singlaub, a retired Army officer who heads the Anti-Communist League and its United States affiliate, has played a leading role in gathering nongovernmental support for the Nicaraguan rebels and advising them on arms purchases.